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Illinois Bell Telephone Company  
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Annual Rate Filing for  
Noncompetitive Services  
Under an Alternative Form  
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Docket 00-0260

**PETITION FOR LEAVE TO INTERVENE**

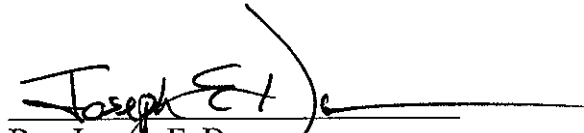
NOW COMES the Illinois Public Telecommunications Association ("IPTA"), by its attorneys, pursuant to the Rules of Practice of the Illinois Commerce Commission, 83 Ill. Admin. Code, Section 200.200, and prays for leave to intervene and be made a party in the above-captioned proceeding. In support of this Petition, the IPTA states the following:

1. Members of the IPTA are telecommunications carriers certified by the Illinois Commerce Commission to provide interexchange services in the State of Illinois.
2. It is likely that a ruling by the Commission in this proceeding will affect the rights and interests of the IPTA.
3. In order to protect the rights and interests of the IPTA and its members, the IPTA should be granted leave to intervene as a party to this proceeding.

Wherefore, for the above-stated reasons, the Proposed Intervenor prays that leave to intervene be granted by this Commission and the IPTA be made a party to the above-captioned proceeding.

Respectfully submitted,

Illinois Public Telecommunications Association

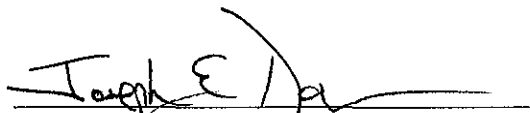
  
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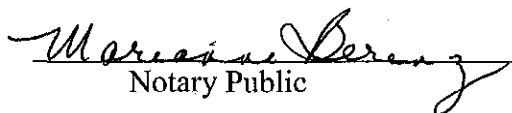
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## VERIFICATION

Joseph E. Donovan, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that he is an attorney for the **Illinois Public Telecommunications Association**, that he has read the above and foregoing **Petition for Leave to Intervene** and knows the contents thereof, and that the statements contained therein are true to the best of his knowledge, information, and belief.

  
Joseph E. Donovan

Subscribed and Sworn to before me  
This 10th<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2000.

  
Notary Public

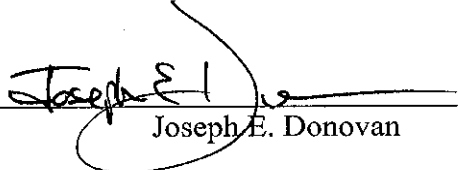
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**NOTICE OF FILING**

Please take notice that on this 10<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2000, the **Illinois Public Telecommunications Association** filed an original and three copies of the attached **Petition for Leave to Intervene** with Donna M. Caton, Chief Clerk of the Illinois Commerce Commission, via regular mail with proper postage prepaid.

  
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Joseph E. Donovan

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I, Joseph E. Donovan, an attorney, on oath state that I served this Notice of Filing and the **Petition for Lease to Intervene** by regular mail with proper postage prepaid, to each person on the attached Service List by depositing same in the U.S. mail box located at 30 North LaSalle Street, Chicago, Illinois, this 10th of April, 2000.

  
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